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A. UTILITIES

Item	Docket	Company Description
1.	U-200281	Utilities General On July 2, 2021, the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission entered Order 04 in Docket U-200281, which extended the disconnection moratorium to September 30, 2021, and waived deposits and fees relating to late payments, disconnections, reconnections, and disconnection site visit fees for 180 days after the moratorium was lifted. Staff is requesting an extension to the electric and natural gas fee and deposit waiver while they investigate the impact of the fees and deposits in Docket U-210800. Staff Investigation Staff Contact: Andrew Roberts +1 (360) 664-1101 andrew.roberts@utc.wa.gov

B. TRANSPORTATION

Item	Docket	Company Description
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1. TG-220100

Island Disposal, Inc.

General rate increase request that, as originally filed, would have generated approximately \$270,000 (4.2 percent) additional annual revenue for the collection of garbage services. The filing is mostly due to increases in capital investments made to automate pickup routes and general operating expenses. Staff and the company agree on an additional annual revenue amount of \$244,449 (3.8 percent). The company provides regulated solid waste collection service to approximately 12,900 residential, commercial, and roll-off customers in Island County. The company's last general rate increase became effective on June 1, 2020.

Tariff Revision

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2. TG-220099

Rabanco LTD.

General rate increase request for the SeaTac operation that generates approximately \$328,000 (10.8 percent) additional annual revenue for the collection of garbage, recycling, and yard waste services. Staff and the Company agreed to a revised additional revenue of \$241,111 (7.97 percent). The main reason of the increase are labor contracts and fuel expense. The company provides regulated solid waste collection service to approximately 11,000 residential and commercial customers in King County. The company's last general rate increase became effective on August 1, 2019.

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3. TG-220105 **Rabanco LTD.**

General rate increase for Tri-County request that as originally filed, would have generated approximately \$213,406 (9.7 percent) additional annual revenue for garbage collection services. Staff and the company have agreed to a revised revenue requirement of \$220,185(10.29 percent) resulting in revised rates. The revised rates for garbage services are lower than the original rates noticed to customers. The company is also filing a general rate increase in Item 230, disposal fees. On April 1, 2022, disposal fees, set by Regional Disposal Company will increase from \$5.00 per yard to \$5.12 per yard. The main drivers for this increase were payroll increases and new containers. The company provides regulated solid waste collection service to approximately 5,500 customers in Klickitat County. The company's last general rate increase of additional revenue \$118,000 became effective on August 1, 2019.

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C. OTHER

D. RECESSED

E. CONSENT

Item	Docket	Company Description
1.	UW-220101	Suncadia Water Company, L.L.C. Petition for an accounting order authorizing deferred accounting treatment of costs that are associated with the destruction of Office building from severe weather event that resulted in a fire on January 6, 2022. The deferred accounting would begin on February 9, 2022, accruing costs. Petition for Accounting Order Staff Contact: Jaclynn Simmons +1 (360) 664-1253 jaclynn.simmons@utc.wa.gov

2. TG-220114 **Waste Management of Washington, Inc.**

Less than statutory notice request for tariff revisions to recover the annual assessment by Douglas County for a fee imposed on solid waste collection in unincorporated Douglas County. Waste Management's share of the fee is \$197,614, a decrease of \$491 over the 2021 assessment. However, due to the annexation of customers into contract cities and related decrease in solid waste tonnage, the associated fee to customers will increase approximately 4.4 percent. The company serves approximately 6,893 residential and 535 commercial customers in Douglas County.

Tariff Revision

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3. UW-220122 **Pelican Point Water Company**

Petition for removal from regulation of Pelican Point Water Company. The company seeks deregulation due to having fewer than 100 customers or average annual revenue less than \$557 per customer as required in WAC 480-110-255. The company transferred ownership of all assets serving customers to another regulated company in Docket UW-210564. The company no longer provides service to customers.

Petition

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4. TG-220144 **Whatcom County**

Commission comments on the Whatcom County Comprehensive Solid Waste Management Plan for the period 2022 through 2027.

Plan

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5. TC-220147

BML Investments LLC

Proposed Tariff No. 5, implementing flexible fares by publishing maximum rates that are 25 percent greater than the current effective rates, as allowed in WAC 480-30-420. The company provides scheduled auto transportation service between Pangborn Memorial Airport and Seattle-Tacoma International Airport, with intermediate stops at Wenatchee, Peshastin, North Bend, Bellevue, by reservation only.

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6. TG-220156

Pacific County

Commission review of the preliminary draft of the Pacific County Solid Waste Management Plan and plans assessment of cost impacts on rates charged by regulated solid waste collection companies.

Plan

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F. NO ACTION

Item	Docket	Re/Filed Effective	Company Description
1.	TG-220089	2/8/2022 4/1/2022	<p>Sound Disposal, Inc.</p> <p>General rate increase that would generate approximately \$3,346.81 (0.20 percent) additional annual revenue to recover the increased cost of yard waste disposal fees set by Cedar Grove Composting. On April 1, 2022, yard waste Item 230 disposal fees will increase from \$66.10 per ton to \$70.42 per ton for residential and commercial yard waste disposal fees will increase from \$84.05 per ton to \$87.88 per ton. The company serves approximately 1,300 yard waste customers in Snohomish County. The company's last general rate increase became effective on March 1, 2009.</p> <p>Tariff Revision</p> <p>Staff Contact: Jaclynn Simmons +1 (360) 664-1253 jaclynn.simmons@utc.wa.gov</p>

2.	UG-220095	2/11/2022	Cascade Natural Gas Corporation
		4/1/2022	<p>Removes the deferred commodity gas costs associated with unanticipated cost increases due to a supply interruption related to the October 9, 2018 Enbridge pipeline rupture. This temporary rate in Schedule 590 was set for three years in Docket UG-190145 and expires on March 31, 2022. The impact on residential customer with average consumption of 56 therms will be a decrease of \$4.26 or 6.47 percent.</p> <p>Tariff Revision</p> <p>Staff Contact: Joanna Huang +1 (360) 664-1317 joanna.huang@utc.wa.gov</p>
3.	UG-220136	3/1/2022	Cascade Natural Gas Corporation
		4/1/2022	<p>Revises Tariff WN U-3 consistent with the Biennial Conservation Plan approved in Docket UG-210838. The filing combines residential, commercial and industrial energy efficiency program elements formerly found in Schedules 300 and 302 into Schedule 300, Energy Efficiency Incentive Program and updates Schedule 301, Low Income Weatherization Incentive Program. The filing has no effect on customer rates.</p> <p>Tariff Revision</p> <p>Staff Contact: Heather Moline +1 (360) 664-1330 heather.moline@utc.wa.gov</p>
4.	TO-220146	2/28/2022	Olympic Pipe Line Company
		4/1/2022	<p>Tariff revisions to decrease rates for the transportation of petroleum products by pipeline. The rates are set in accordance with the Settlement Agreement approved by the Commission on December 4, 2008, in Order 05 in Docket TO-031973, and clarified in Docket TO-040992 and amended on Docket TO-190267.</p> <p>Tariff Revision</p> <p>Staff Contact: Tiffany Van Meter +1 (360) 664-1246 tiffany.vanmeter@utc.wa.gov</p>

5.	UW-220155	2/23/2022	BC Water Co, LLC
		4/1/2022	Tariff revision to update Rule 11 on ancillary Schedule X using standard Commission rates and charges. Tariff Revision Staff Contact: Jim Ward +1 (360) 664-1250 jim.ward@utc.wa.gov

6.	UT-220158	3/9/2022	Call One Inc.
		4/8/2022	Notice of Cessation of Service in Washington State. No existing customers and no outstanding prepaid calling services. Cessation of Service Staff Contact: Sean Bennett +1 (360) 664-1109 sean.bennett@utc.wa.gov

7.	UT-220160	3/1/2022	BCE Nexxia Corporation
		3/31/2022	Notice of name change from BCE Nexxia Corporation to BCE Nexxia Corporation d/b/a BCE Global - USA. Name Change Staff Contact: Sean Bennett +1 (360) 664-1109 sean.bennett@utc.wa.gov

8.	TC-220172	3/15/2022	The Rock Transportation Services Corporation
		3/16/2022	Proposed Time Schedule No. 16 modifying operating schedule to increase daily runs between Whidbey Island and Paine Field and SeaTac International Airport, from 7 to 9 daily runs and adjusting all route times accordingly, in order to better accommodate current Washington State Ferry and airport schedules. The company provides auto transportation services from points on Whidbey Island to Paine Field and SeaTac International airports. Tariff Revision Staff Contact: Greg Hammond +1 (360) 664-1278 greg.hammond@utc.wa.gov
